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SUBJECT:SCIENTIFIC AND TECHNOLOGICAL COOPERATION: CRITERIA
FOR COOPERATIVE RESEARCH PROJECTS

REF: A) STATE 132994; B) MADRID 5992

1. APPRECIATE COMMENT ON CHANGES IN CRITERIA PROPOSED BY SPANISH SIDE. WE NOTE THAT SPANISH LETTER APPARENTLY DID NOT APPROVE NOR DISAPPROVE OF POINT F. WE AGREE WITH YOUR ANALYSIS THAT PROPOSED CHANGES IN POINT C AND OLDPOINT H (NOW POINT I) TEND TO WEAKEN OUR ABILITY TO REJECT SPANISH PROPOSALS ON BASIS OF APPROVED CRITERIA, AND THAT IT IS NOT CLEAR WHETHER THE CRITERIA APPLY TO PROPOSALS ALREADY SUBMITTED OR ONLY TO FUTURE PROPOSALS. YET EVEN IN WEAKENED FORM THEY COULD STILL BE BASIS FOR COUNTER PROPOSALS BY
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OUR SIDE.

2. WE BELIEVE THAT REGARDLESS OF WEAKNESSES AS DESCRIBED IN PARA 1, U.S. SIDE CAN REJECT PROPOSALS ON BASIS OF POSITIONS EXPRESSED IN CRITERIA AS ORIGINALLY PROPOSED (REF A) WHETHER OR NOT SUCH CRITERIA ARE FORMALLY APPROVED. HAD MATTER OF CRITERIA NOT BEEN RAISED, U.S. COULD HAVE RE-

JECTED PROPOSALS ON GROUNDS ARTICULATED IN CRITERIA, EVEN
HAD CRITERIA NOT BEEN DRAFTED.

3. DEPARTMENT HAS NO OBJECTION TO DISCUSSION OF MATTERS
AS PROPOSED PARA 3, REF B. VANCE

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